TOWN OF HINGHAM INVITATION TO BID CONTRACT NO. 2006-1

Traffic Signal Installation

The Town of Hingham Board of Selectmen, Hingham, Massachusetts will receive sealed bids for the Main Street at High Street and Free Street Traffic Signal Installation Project **until 9:00 AM prevailing time, Thursday, July 6, 2006**, at the Selectmen's Office, Hingham Town Hall, 210 Central Street, Hingham, MA 02043, at which time bids will be opened and publicly read aloud. Bids submitted after this time will not be accepted.

A pre-bid meeting will be held on Tuesday, June 27, 2006 at 9:00 AM at the Selectmen's Office, Hingham Town Hall, 210 Central Street, Hingham, MA 02043. All bidders are encouraged to attend.

The work under this Contract consists of the furnishing and installation of a traffic control signal system consisting of ornamental mast arms, two ornamental signal poles, and one ornamental pedestrian pole, minor roadway widening, the installation of asphalt sidewalk, wheelchair ramps, granite curbing, and asphalt berm, the installation and adjustment of drainage structures and pipe, and the installation of related pavement markings and traffic signs.

Copies of the Contract Documents for the work may be obtained at the office of the Department of Public Works, 101 Hersey Street, Hingham, MA 02043 on June 21, 2006, upon presentation of a certified check drawn on a responsible bank or trust company, made payable to Town of Hingham in the amount of \$30.00. Such deposits will be refunded within 30 days of the receipt, provided the documents are returned prior to bid opening in good condition.

Contract Documents will not be mailed to prospective bidders. They will need to be picked up from the above referenced office in person.

The contract documents may be examined during the hours from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. at the DPW Office, 101 Hersey Street, Hingham, MA.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a bid security in the amount of 5% of the total bid amount and in the form described in the Information for Bidders.

A Performance Bond and Labor and Materials Payment Bond each in the amount of 100 percent of the contract price will be required in the form described in the Information for Bidders.

Contractors must conform to the Schedule of Wages set forth by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Department of Labor and Industries, as well as, meet all requirements set forth under the Equal Employment Opportunity/Affirmative Action Requirements, as adopted by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and the Town of Hingham.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within 30 days (Saturday, Sundays and legal holidays excluded) after the actual date of the bid opening.

The Owner may waive any informalities or minor defects, or reject any or all bids if it is in the best interest of the Town to do so.

BOARD OF SELECTMEN HINGHAM, MA

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